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DEAD DIRECTOR TOOK NEW NAME TO FORGET PAST

But "Deserted Wife" Can't
Wipe Out Memory of
Life in Chicago.

IS HE DEANE TANNER?

The Mystery Continues To
Thicken Around Case
At Los Angeles.

(By the Associated Press)

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 4.—Famous stars of filmdom were summoned as witnesses today at the inquest into the death of William Desmond Taylor, motion picture director, soldier of adventure, whose true name may be William Deane-Tanner, slain by a bullet in the back Wednesday night at his residence here. Police investigating the crime had revealed by today a maze of complications in Taylor's life. The director's reported affairs of the heart continued to be the subject of inquiry.

Mabel Normand, Mary Miles Minter and Neva Gerber are three of the motion picture actresses involved in the police investigation. Reports have come to the police, they say, that a love affair at one time or another existed between each of these and the slain director.

Police say, without mentioning the name, that a motion picture actress is the center of their investigation. A theory of a "revenge" motive with jealousy as the possible direct cause, is being analyzed, they say.

Edna Purviance and Mrs. Douglas McLeane, the former an actress and the latter the wife of an actor, are incidentally witnesses in the case.

Directors to Appear.
These five figures in the motion picture world, and others, actresses, directors and employees are scheduled to appear here today in the inquest.

The adventurous career of the slain director, actor, engineer, Klondike pioneer, soldier and student of psychology, known for years to his most intimate friends as a bachelor living alone in a luxuriously furnished dwelling place, and often visited by actresses, today revealed that he has been living under a changed name, that he has a daughter 13 years of age, that he was divorced and possibly has been married and divorced a second time. He was formerly known as Tanner, according to the deserted wife of his brother.

Mrs. Ada Deane-Tanner, of Monrovia, near here, who announced last night that he slain brother-in-law had supported her by sending checks for \$50 monthly for the past six years.

Seek Missing Butler.
Police are continuing their search for Ed F. Sands, reported to be known as Edward Fitz Strathmore, the missing butler of Taylor's, who disappeared several months ago. Taylor later filed charges of grand larceny against him. While most intimate friends of the film world did not know of his previous marriage, this butler did for he used the name of William Deane-Tanner in pawnshops, at Fresno, articles stolen from Taylor.

A life in fear of death during the last few days of his existence added to the dramatic mystery of the dual existence of Taylor. He mentioned to at least one person, police say, that he a premonition of death.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 4.—The real name of the motion picture director who was known as William Desmond Taylor, and who was found dead in his apartment here Thursday morning, was "William

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Movie Director Broke With Neva, 'Girl Who Didn't Fit'

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 4.—Neva Gerber, film actress, who said she once had been engaged to marry William Desmond Taylor, slain motion picture director, last night said the engagement had been broken off because they "both believed it an unsuitable match."

"I have never known a finer, better man than Mr. Taylor," said Miss Gerber. "He was the soul of honor, a man of exceptional culture, education and refinement, but possessed a reserve which very few were permitted to penetrate."

"So far as I know he did not have an enemy in the world, although he mentioned casually the fights he had on his various trips to the Klondike."

"He often spoke of his mother in London, and his little daughter. He always termed the latter "a child" and was planning to bring her to Los Angeles. It was my understanding his former wife was living in New York. I always assumed he was divorced, for he had not been here would not, I believed, have asked me to marry him. We were engaged for some time, but broke off the match two years ago when he concluded we were not suitable to each other."

"This terrible affair is all the more mysterious because it was a common saying among the studios and Hollywood generally that Mr. Taylor had not an enemy in the world."

"He may have made an enemy in the past who nursed a grudge through the years which finally ended in this murder, but he never gave the slightest indication, to me of having a foe."

WIFE OF AMERICAN ENVOY TO BELGIUM



Mrs. Henry P. Fletcher.

POSTAL FORGERY CHARGED TO MAN

Thompson, In Jail, Awaits
Hearing On Alleged
Name Fraud.

R. E. Thompson, who is said to be a farmer living in the vicinity of Ahloso, was arrested late yesterday and was in the county jail today following his arraignment before Justice of the Peace W. H. Fisher on a charge of forgery.

Specifically, Thompson is charged with signing the name of another Thompson, who is said to have different initials, to receive a registered letter at the local postoffice containing a check for \$25.

Justice Fisher fixed Thompson's bond yesterday at \$1000 but he was unable to meet it. A date for his preliminary had not been fixed this morning. It was thought possible that federal charges of tampering with the mails also would be filed.

The defendant, officers said, has offered to make restitution of the amount of the check he is alleged to have taken from the letter. He was arrested on the streets here by Deputy Sheriff Henry Whitson.

DURANT SCORES CLOSE VICTORY OVER ADA TEAM

DURANT, Feb. 4.—(Special)—The Durant Teachers College nosed out the East Central basketball team in a rough game last night, 23 to 17. From the start to the finish both sides put up a hard fight and before the close of the game it had all but developed into a free for all scramble.

The attitude of the side lines had much to do with the playing of both teams. It is expected that tonight's game will be more cleanly played and with a closer score.

WILDCAT WELL PRODUCES FISH INSTEAD OF CRUDE

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., Feb. 4.—A wild cat oil well on the Hitchcock ranch south of Porterfield at 1,200 feet has begun to produce—not oil, but fish—according to word received today. They were the blind species apparently from subterranean stream.

OIL MEN CENTER EYES ON EUROPE

Increased Consumption of
Crude Creates Need of
Long Time Contracts.

(By the Associated Press)

BERLIN, Feb. 4.—The increased consumption of crude oil and need of a corresponding increase in the world's production has focused attention of American interests upon European fields, and renewed efforts are being made to secure long time contracts for the development of the industry here on a large scale.

Agents of the Standard Oil company have been most active and are reported here to have secured virtual monopolies of oil prospecting and well sinking in a number of smaller Central European states.

German capital has been watching the operations of the Americans with considerable concern, and it is predicted in quarters close to Hugo Stinnes, the most powerful of the German capitalists, whose commercial enterprises extend to all Europe, that American interests soon "will have a monopoly of the European petroleum supply, if not of the whole earth."

The Standard Oil company has secured control of important fields in northern Persia on a 50-year lease, but the action of the Persian administration in granting the concession has been protested by the British minister, as incompatible with the Russian-Persian agreement of February 26, 1921, which it is claimed gave Russia prior rights.

Get Big Concessions.
Americans also have secured important concessions in Junco-slavia, Czechoslovakia and Rumania, under stipulations providing for investment of several millions of American dollars in development work, which these countries cannot undertake.

Negotiations have been begun between the Americans and Russian representatives for leasing the Russian fields, and putting them upon a productive basis. At the same time the Russians are seeking to secure German machinery for their oil fields, without which it is reported many of the works must close, resulting in permanent damage to certain fields and heavy losses to the Soviet government.

Former wealthy oil owners and promoters, now Russian exiles here, have been participating in these negotiations.

The annual production of crude oil in the United States was estimated by the United States geological survey on January 18, to be now almost 500,000,000 barrels but the report stated that the annual consumption already is beyond that mark and is still growing. It added that for some years the United States has had to import oil and, with the growth in demand, its dependence on foreign oil "has become steadily greater in spite of our own increase in output."

FORMER OWNER OF PAPER HERE REPORTED DEAD

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 4.—(Special)—Elbridge G. Phelps, 63 years old, pioneer Oklahoma newspaper publisher, died Thursday evening at the residence of his son, Carl C. Phelps, 1923 West Twelfth street.

Mr. Phelps came to Oklahoma from Coldwater, Kansas, in 1892 and entered the newspaper business at Shawnee. He was the founder and publisher of the Shawnee Sun, the Democrat and the Herald.

He remained in business in Shawnee until 1912, when he moved to Oklahoma City and he since has made his residence here.

He was born in Chautauque county, New York, but as a young man emigrated to the west to cast his fortune in the new country. He has practically seen Oklahoma rise from a wilderness to a well settled, progressive state.

Mr. Phelps is survived by his son and a daughter, Mrs. W. E. Smith of 410 East Fourteenth street. His wife, Mrs. Minnie Phelps, died in 1915.

The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

The deceased lived in Ada for a few months in 1920, according to John W. Beard, who knew him. He came from Shawnee to Ada in June, 1920, and founded the old Ada Star in the building now occupied by the Regal Cafe. After running the paper for a few months, he sold it to Joe Simpson who moved the plant into the rear of what is now the Merchants & Planters National Bank.

Mr. Phelps has been known to express himself as regretting his removal from Ada. For the last several years he has been associated with his son in operating a commercial printing plant in the basement of the American National Bank building in Oklahoma City.

OKLAHOMA WEATHER.

Tonight and Sunday cloudy, occasional rains; warmer tonight in east portion.

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POLK ASKS THAT COURT GIVE HIM ANOTHER TRIAL

Motion for a new trial for Charles Polk, former Pontotoc county boy, one of the seven men arrested and sentenced to life imprisonment after confessing to participation in the lynching of Jake Brooks, negro packing plant employee, was filed late Friday in the district court of Oklahoma county, according to word received here today.

The action is a preliminary step in appealing from Judge James I. Phelps' decision Wednesday when he overruled a motion to withdraw the plea of guilty entered by Polk at the time he was arraigned and be allowed to stand trial before a jury on the murder charge filed in connection with the lynching.

In the application for a new trial, it is charged that Judge Phelps' action in overruling the motion to withdraw the plea was contrary to the law and evidence; that the refusal to sustain the motion was prompted largely by the fact that it contained a reflection upon public officials because they had been "induced to obtain pleas of guilty in pecuniary and political rewards" offered for the conviction of the lynchers.

Judge Phelps, after listening to testimony from the state and county officials and from Polk and his attorney, refused to grant the plea. Polk declared he had been promised a pardon in he confessed and pleaded guilty; he also declared he had been threatened with death in the electric chair if he did not confess.

GEN. SEMENOFF, ANTI-RED LEADER, EN ROUTE TO U. S.



The most recent photo of General Gregorie Semenoff.

Gen. Gregorie Semenoff, arch foe of the Bolsheviks in Russia and Siberia, is en route to the United States from China. Following repeated failures to disrupt Bolshevik rule at Vladivostok and at other points in the Red-ruled country, General Semenoff has become practically a nomad. United States officials are not disturbed by the rumor that he intends to raise money in this country to finance another campaign against Lenin's forces.

INQUEST IN DEATH OF TAYLOR ENDED

Movie Director Killed By
Gunshot, Coroner Says;
Mabel Testifies.

(By the Associated Press)

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 4.—Death by a gunshot wound, inflicted by a person with homicide intent, was the verdict of the coroner's jury here today in the investigation over the remains of William Desmond Taylor, nationally known motion picture director, known in New York prior to 1908 as William Desmond Deane-Tanner, an accomplished actor, who was slain Wednesday evening in his home here.

The inquest was unexpectedly terminated by the coroner's jury after only five witnesses were heard, Mabel Normand being the only motion picture actress to testify out of several who were originally summoned.

The sudden close was for the benefit of police, who are attempting to solve the mysterious murder.

FORMER DUTCH JUSTICE HEADS INTERNATIONAL COURT

The Hague, Holland, Feb. 3.—The International Court of Justice, meeting in private session this forenoon, elected as president of the court Dr. B. Loder, a former member of the Dutch supreme court.

8-HOUR LAW MUCH CONCERN IN 1921

Three Inspectors Added To
Enforcement Staff Due
To Many Complaints

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 4.—The enforcement of the 8-hour law on public work in 1921 caused the state department of labor more concern than at any time since the first year after the law was passed in 1907, says a statement issued here today by Claude E. Connally, state labor commissioner.

There were so many reported violations of the law that the commissioner was obliged to delegate authority to three factory inspectors in order that prompt action could be taken against offenders, according to the statement.

"The greatest obstacle in the enforcement of this law is the almost total lack of co-operation of the department has received from county attorneys throughout the state," the statement charges. It then declares that there have been a few instances in the state in which county attorneys have bluntly refused to file complaints against employers at the request of the labor department. In one instance, the department appealed to the attorney general who directed the county attorney to file an information against an alleged violator of the 8-hour law, the statement says.

Referring to the alleged lack of co-operation from county attorneys, it continues:

Some New in Office.
"This condition is no doubt due to the fact that these officials are in most cases new in office, and are more or less unfamiliar with these laws and the reasons which prompted their passage by the legislature. Local politics have also operated against successfully carrying these laws into effect."

Settlement of all labor difficulties involving wages has been increasingly difficult since November, 1920, when there began to develop a surplus of labor and a consequent scarcity of jobs, the statement says.

"During 1921 the state labor department received 83 complaints of alleged violations of the 8-hour law and 26 complaints regarding alleged violations of the current rate of wages provision of the law, "the statement continues. "Of the 8-hour cases reported, the commissioner of labor caused investigations to be conducted into 30, satisfactory adjustments having been made in the other 23 cases. There were sixteen cases of alleged violations of the current rate of wages provision of the law which were investigated. Complaints of violations of the 8-hour law were filed in the courts in seventeen cases and convictions were secured in ten. Seven are yet pending. Complaints were filed in nine cases charging violation of the current rate of wages provision of the law, but to date there have been no convictions."

County Woman Sues Railway On Alleged Injury At Station

Suit was brought in the district court yesterday by Kate Tarwater, this county, against the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad, seeking \$3000 in damages for alleged personal injuries received at the station here in May, 1921.

The plaintiff charges that she entered at Ford's Switch and upon leaving the train at Ada, the foot box placed beneath the car step for the convenience of passengers slipped and that she sustained a sprained ankle that has been a constant source of inconvenience and pain. She further alleges that employees of the company made no effort to prevent her falling which was narrowly averted, she says, by the assistance of another woman passenger.

Other cases filed Friday in the district court are S. J. Armstrong vs. T. O. Dandridge et al., foreclosure; P. A. Norris vs. Ben Boring et al., foreclosure of mortgage and appointment of a receiver; Glen T. W. Woodruff vs. Ardis Woodruff, partition.

7 Chicago Officers Are Indicted Upon Civil Service Law

(By the Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—Indictments against seven officials and former officials of Chicago charging violation of the civil service laws through the sale of subscriptions to a political newspaper backed by the city administration and tickets to a picnic given by the political factions headed by Mayor William Hale Thompson, were returned today by a special grand jury.

Evidence submitted to the jury was intended to show that city employees virtually had been forced to subscribe to the paper and buy picnic tickets under threats of the loss of their jobs for refusal to do so. One of the men indicted was said to have sold \$5,000 worth of subscriptions himself.

HEAD OF WORLD'S ZIONIST MOVEMENT



Nahum Sokolow.

Nahum Sokolow is president of the World's Zionist organization. As such he presided at sessions of the conference held by the organization in Washington, D. C., recently.

ARMS CONFERENCE NEARS END TODAY

Balfour Opens Last Flight
of Oratory To Be Heard
At World Caucus.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—The arms conference today wound up its work with a whirlwind.

It formally approved the various agreements to make for peace in the far east and in the closing moment Arthur J. Balfour, heading the British delegation—voicing the feeling of statesmen everywhere that China is the keystone of that structure—uttered solemn warning that the world expected a respect for the settlements arrived at in "strict good faith."

Any nations, the British spokesman said, which in the future aimed to transgress the principles laid down in the conference with regard to China need not plead ignorance nor seek to invoke any "secret understandings" with minor Chinese officials.

Such a nation, Mr. Balfour impressively declared, would be considered "outside" the community of nations.

In a brief hour of work which presented a field day for oratory in which the delegation leaders took opportunity to pay tribute to President Harding, the conference put the formal stamp of approval on results of the three long months of patient and not untroubled negotiations which will take their places in their notches of history.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—The arms conference moved swiftly towards its close today. The sixth plenary session at which the framing of the treaty re-instituting the policy of the open door and framing anew the territorial integrity of China, the old celestial nation—the dream of her people, since the numerous encroachments by foreign powers began years ago, were important achievements was ready to end.

The new treaty for regulation of the Chinese tariff also was presented and the way was cleared for another and final plenary session Monday when President Harding will mark the end of the history-making conference with an address.

At 12:35 p. m., the calendar was finished and Arthur J. Balfour, heading the British delegation, took the floor and opened what was expected to be the final wave of oratory marking the conclusion of the work of the conference.

Many Unemployed Seek Clothing at Red Cross

SCENES of direct poverty are being enacted with increasing frequency under the notice of Pontotoc County Red Cross workers.

Mrs. Orville Snead, secretary, declared this afternoon in an urgent appeal, especially to young men of the city and county, to supply clothing of any kind for scores of men unemployed and "in pathetic need."

Four young men, two of them transients, appealed to the Red Cross office late yesterday for clothing, shoes, underwear, and top-wear, according to Mrs. Snead. Ten formed a line outside of the charities office this morning and filed similar requests.

The pinch of unemployment all over the country is making itself distinctly felt here, touching instances of need being brought to the attention of the Red Cross daily, according to the secretary. One man at nightfall yesterday, said he was sick and homeless and had been dropped in Ada by a train crew that had carried him gratis for some distance.

Although the local Red Cross has in several cases recently departed from its custom and has extended food and shelter to transients, it is not able to provide shoes and clothing, Mrs. Snead said. The small available supply of clothing is being reserved to supply the local demand upon charity. Funds of the Red Cross are virtually exhausted. Mrs. Snead has reported to the executive board, and the office must close unless the drive to be conducted next Tuesday proves successful.

PONTOTOC VETS TO GIVE VIEWS ON BONUS PLAN

Census February 12 Will
Aid Service Men to Get
Federal Help.

COMMANDERS TO MEET

Executive Committee To
Learn Which of Five
Plans Favored.

A meeting of all legion post commanders in Pontotoc county to be held here Sunday, February 12th, was called this afternoon by Gilbert B. Polly, commander of Norman Howard Post, for the purpose of launching a campaign to be known as a service and adjusted compensation census.

This move is being undertaken on the strength of a request forwarded to Polly today from state headquarters of the Legion at Oklahoma City.

It is intended that the census will aid former service men of the county, as in all other counties of the state, and in addition is expected to be the medium of making a marked increase in memberships of all posts. An opportunity will be given to all veterans of the late war to get in touch with the Legion as a go-between to seek vocational training and hospital treatment for all deserving cases.

The primary intention of the census, as its name suggests, is to see exactly which of the five provisions of the adjusted compensation bill each man will take if the act is passed by congress. Questionnaires will be distributed through all posts of the state and even to places where outposts are in the stage of being formed, Polly said, so that no former service man shall be overlooked. The meeting to be held here a week from tomorrow will be attended by all members of the county executive committee of the Legion. A county commander and a county adjutant will be elected.

Precinct maps of the county will be secured before the meeting here, it is planned, and the committee will assign various parts of the county and fix territory in which each member of the committee is to work in completing the census.

After the county meeting, a report of new county officers and plans for the census will be made to Hughes B. Davis, Duncan, state commander of the Legion.

No definite estimates have been made as to how many veterans of the world war are in Pontotoc county.

MRS. STILLMAN SUFFERS NEW TEMPORARY DEFEAT

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Feb. 4.—Counsel for James A. Stillman succeeded today in blocking, at least temporarily, another effort by Mrs. Anna U. Stillman to obtain additional expense money and the appointment of a commission to take testimony at Montreal in the Stillman divorce case. Motions to force the ends were held pending for a week by Supreme Court Justice Morschauser, who upheld the objection of Mr. Stillman's counsel that the affidavits supporting the application were based on hearsay and therefore were insufficient.

Another Ballot Futile.
ROME, Feb. 4.—Another ballot for the election of a successor to Pope Benedict XV was taken by the conclave of the Sacred College this morning but without result. No candidate received a sufficient number of votes to elect.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

WHERE IS YOUR TREASURE?—Where your treasure is, there will be our heart also.—Mathew 6:21.

CANDIDATES' YEAR

The arrival of the New Year is the signal for candidates to get busy. The Dallas News carried one or two announcements for United States Senator Sunday and Oklahoma politicians will not be far behind the Texas bunch in getting their hats in the ring. Of course there will be a numerous crop of candidates for state offices among the Democrats and in view of the Republican victory of two years ago it is likely that more interest than usual will be taken in the primary by that party. The race after the primary will likely be the warmest since statehood. Of course the Republicans have no earthly chance of repeating their landslide of two years ago, but they will hope to hold some of the gains made then and it behooves the Democrats to put their best men forward or the race may not be as one sided as in the past.

The county races will of course vary with the strength of the respective parties. However, there is another factor to be considered this year, the Reconstruction League. This will embrace in its membership practically all of the remaining socialist voters and an effort is being made to line up the Farmers Union with the movement. In Hughes county this effort has been successful to the extent that a county meeting indorsed it. Delivering the vote may prove a different matter. A strong effort will also be made by the League to get the labor vote. If, as reported sometime ago, this organization will not put candidates into the field, but support men of the other parties who meet the approval of the League, there will be some lively times among nominees of the old parties seeking the vote controlled by this movement with the chances favoring the ones expressing the most radical views. If the parties are anywhere near evenly divided it is entirely possible that candidates receiving the indorsement of the League will have a decided advantage.

THE NEW YEAR.

Many unpleasant memories cling to the departed year, but the country enters 1922 full of courage and hope. The keenest business men of the nation declare that the worst of the period of adjustment has passed and that better times are at hand. During the era of inflation great surpluses of various commodities were created and these had to be worked off before there was much demand for more. Lately the steel industry has added greatly to its volume of business while the cotton manufacturing industry shows much more activity than for the year past. Two millions more spindles were in operation in November, 1921, than the corresponding month of 1920. Of course this means less unemployment and a greater purchasing power on the part of the employees which in turn benefits the producers.

Locally we are not only affected by the general situation, but the boll weevil scourge is forcing agricultural interests to seek other lines. There is no reason why this should not succeed, just as it has in many localities. At Ada the various industries are making a good or better headway than those of other places. The cement mill has made an actual gain in its sales over the record of 1920 and none of the others are shut down, although not all running full capacity. Building has never come to a standstill here and with the return of normal times it will increase in volume. It is to a considerable extent a matter of all hanging together.

Bergdoll, the wealthy draft evader, who has been sojourning in Germany for some little time in order to escape a reckoning with Uncle Sam, is suing for the return of his property seized and held by the alien enemy property custodian. Bergdoll now insists that he is an American citizen, although that is just what he did not take any pride in when called for military service. He is like some others who make it their business to attempt to tear down this government but who are quick to claim their rights as citizens when trouble overtakes them.

America is sending food to relieve the famine of Russia but now comes Trotsky who declares that the Reds must increase their army and be prepared for more war next summer. Evidently kindness is wasted on Trotsky and his cohorts. Instead of striving for peace their only thoughts are on making war on the rest of the world. It is reported that the starving people of that unhappy country are being driven to cannibalism, but that does not bother Trotsky.

A letter purporting to be from the Ku Klux Klan and containing several dollars with a note directing it to be given to some worthy poor was found in the office of the Allen Democrat several days ago. The Klan has made a practice of imposing this duty on newspaper men in many instances. Evidently the knights know honest men when they see them.

HE'S LIABLE YET TO PUT A CRIMP IN THEIR PEACE SKATING POND



The Forum of the Press

Tightening Up Immigration Laws. (Muskegon Phoenix)

Two or three new immigration bills have been introduced in congress, and one of them—the most important both from a theoretical and a practical point of view—has been discussed at hearings held by the house immigration committee. It is announced semi-officially that the Harding administration is in sympathy with the spirit of the proposed new legislation, and especially with what may be called its human side. Some measure is likely to be passed at the present session, and the effect aimed at is the tightening up of the restrictive laws already in existence.

The need of this tightening process is undeniable. Steamship companies are accused of evading the law and of constantly bringing in aliens after the legal quota fixed by the present act has been reached by the particular country of their actual or nominal allegiance. Great difficulties have been needlessly created for the immigration authorities, and serious hardships have been inflicted on bewildered emigrants.

Of the new bills pending one would penalize steamship companies in various ways for violating the spirit of the restrictive law. Another would limit to American citizens the privilege of bringing to this country wives and children residing abroad. A third would suspend all immigration for a period of three years in order to give the country a better opportunity to assimilate the immigrants already admitted.

Whether total suspension of immigration is necessary and advisable or whether a mere "tightening up" of existing restrictions will answer every legitimate purpose is a question that demands full discussion. The immigration reports show that in the fiscal year ended June 30 last no fewer than \$65,228 aliens were admitted to the United States. This was practically double the number admitted during the previous fiscal year. But the 3 per cent restriction now in force is having good effects, and it is estimated that the number of newcomers for the current fiscal year will not exceed 350,000. Even this number is deemed excessive by many in view of existing unemployment and of the magnitude of the problem of relieving distress and suffering that faces most of the industrial centers. Others, however, believe that the expected full recovery of industry and trade not only will soon absorb the unemployed but will provide work for additional hosts of workers.

Guilt for Epidemics.

Two interesting developments have followed the outbreak of typhoid which occurred in an Ohio town some months ago. The Ohio Supreme Court has decided that an employer is financially responsible for a disease contracted on his premises if he has not exercised reasonable care to prevent disease-creating condition. This decision was based on a case of typhoid contracted through the drinking water furnished employees. A jury trial, now upheld by the supreme court, fixed the responsibility on the employer.

The other development is the attempt of a number of citizens to place responsibility for the epidemic on municipal authorities. Suits have been entered against town officials.

Club to Enforce Law in Tulsa County Is Formed by Citizens

TULSA, Dec. 30.—At a mass meeting of citizens here last night which filled the First Baptist church to its capacity the Law Enforcement Club was formed, and a committee of five was named to represent the club in movements to suppress crime and vice.

The committee will meet this morning with the county commissioners and Sheriff Willie McCullough to select four deputy sheriffs who have been authorized by the commissioners and excise board. It is possible that a fifth one may be named to act as office deputy.

The committee consisted of L. E. Abbott, Alf Heggem, John Rogers, Carl Duffield and E. E. Short.

A number of addresses were made, the dominate note of which was "crime and vice in Tulsa county" must be put down.

In a recent public warning the Ku Klux Klan advised Sheriff McCullough to stop all vice, resign, or face ouster proceedings.

The sheriff and county commissioners attended last night's meetings.

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Miss Ida Schnall punching the bag and doing a hand-stand on the parallel bars.

Miss Ida Schnall is conceded to be the world's greatest all-around athlete. She is also noted for her grace and beauty at social functions. She attributes both to her perfect health and laughs at the suggestion that constant training for athletic events tends to over-develop her muscles and handicap her in preserving her complexion. She has a fully-equipped gymnasium in her home and daily goes through a set of exercises to keep in condition.

and urges other women to arrange some means of training consistently. She is shown above in her gymnasium at work, which she says helps her keep "in the pink," speaking from a standpoint of complexion and health.

ADA MAN COULD DO NO WORK FOR FIVE MONTHS

Health So Bad After Attack of Flu, Had to Sell Out Mercantile Business. Now Well.

"Puratone has made me feel like a brand new man", said T. N. Henley, well known business man of Ada, a few days ago.

"Back in February of last year," he continued, "I had a severe attack of flu, and for months was in such a rundown state of health I was forced to sell out my mercantile business."

"Up until the time I began taking Puratone I could not eat, sleep or work to do any good. My appetite was poor and the little food forced down soured on my stomach. I had had attacks of indigestion and was so

nervous I couldn't sleep well. "Since taking Puratone I have a fine appetite, eat anything I want and my food agrees with me perfectly. My sleep is now sound and restful and I awake mornings feeling fine. My strength has been increased and I really am not like the same man. "Puratone is one medicine that does just what they say it will."

Puratone is sold in Ada by Gwin and Mays Drug Store. (adv)

SAPULPA—Fred Lewis, 45, was instantly killed and Leonard Connor and Rosie Tolley, his stepchildren, are in the county jail for investigation in connection with the shooting which occurred five miles southeast of here today.



Announcing— An Old Time Sale At Old Time Prices

WAITING time turns into buying time; the past becomes the present and the good old times step forward with these times as we announce the greatest of all Sales held by this Store. For every man, young man and youth this is welcome news. Here is merchandise better than ever—at prices you used to pay.

Kuppenheimer and Model Special

Suits and Overcoats!

\$25, \$27.50 and \$30
Values Now

\$18.75

\$35, \$37.50 and \$40
Values Now

\$26.75

\$45, \$50 and \$55
Values Now

\$33.75

Shirts Dozens of the finest Mad-ras Shirts sold today; all grouped in one great assortment ----- **\$1.12**

Neckwear Some of the finest Silk Neckwear, the kind you once paid \$1.50, reduced to ----- **75c**

Corduroy Suits Mostly Sizes 12 to 17 in light and dark patterns. Values worth to \$12. This is a great buy for boys at... **\$4.45**

Shoes One table assortment of Douglas, Walk Over, and other shoes, one time \$7.50 to \$10 values at... **\$3.95**

Underwear Splendid heavy ribbed shirts or drawers. A good buy even to hold for next year ----- **35c**

Pajamas Here's a Sale Even no man can afford to pass up, for we're offering these flannelette ones at ----- **\$1.50**

Hosiery Offering a great selection of lightweight Wool Hosiery in all the popular colors at ----- **45c**

Bootees For special mention a smoked horse winged tipped 18-inch Bootee that used to bring \$15 but now ----- **\$6.75**

Boys' Suits and Overcoats Yes these are all-wool Suits with extra trousers; radically reduced from regular price ----- **25%**

Boys' Mackinaws The mere fact that they bear our highest recommendation should be reason for buying. \$6.00 and \$7.50 values; at ----- **\$3.45**

Hats Not merely Winter Hats, but weights light enough for Spring service; reduced for this sale ----- **\$2.25 to \$5.25**

Work Vests Corduroy or mole skin with leather sleeves reduced to the ridiculous price of ----- **\$5.95**

Children's Shoes

Once \$4 and \$5 values Humpty Dumpty spring-heel shoes, sizes 8 to 2

\$1.95

THE Model CLOTHIERS
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The Largest and Best Store for Men and Boys in East Central Oklahoma

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Men's and young men's \$20, \$22.50 and \$25

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\$14.75



SMALL'S TRIAL SET TO START ON MARCH 6

WAUKESHA, Ill., Feb. 4.—Judge Charles C. Edwards today set the trial of Governor Len Small to start March 6. He stated that for 50 yearsmen a day at the start.

The prospective jurors will be drawn from the jury wheel, both sides favoring that method instead of having deputy sheriffs select a number of names of men in the county at large.

Try a News Want Ad for results.

110 KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK CLOSE TO TOKIO

(By the Associated Press)

TOKIO, Feb. 4.—One hundred and ten persons were killed and a number of others injured when a railroad train was buried under an avalanche of snow at Itoigawa station, according to a dispatch from Nagano today. The victims were mostly workers engaged in cleaning snow from the railroad tracks.

Apes can move their ears more than man.

EBEY ANNOUNCES FOR STATE SENATOR

One of the important political developments of the week so far as this county and senatorial district is concerned, is the announcement today of W. H. Ebey as a candidate for the state senate.

Mr. Ebey will have something to say at a later date concerning his platform. He is merely announcing now in order that his friends will know he is in the race.

Few men in Oklahoma have as wide legislative experience as Mr. Ebey. He was at one time chief clerk of the house. He represented this county in the lower house one term. Many years ago he was in Washington for a long time and watched the two houses there work. His friends say there is not a man in Oklahoma who knows better the inside workings of a law making body or how to go after the matters he wants.

Mr. Ebey has also been a strong friend of the East Central Teachers College, was instrumental in getting the institution here, and he wants to see it grow and have enough money to work with effectively.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND

For Constipation, Indigestion, Biliousness, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, Catarrh of the Bladder, Hemorrhoids, Piles, Skin Diseases, etc.

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I have opened an exclusive Furniture Repair Shop at 217 West 12th Street.

My ability as a furniture repairer is well known in Ada.

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City Dyes

Get it at Gwin & Mays.

Have your Photo made at West's.

Russell Battery Co. Willard Service and Sales. Phone 140. 8-6-1m

Mrs. Roy Weddle left today on a visit with her parents at Kingfisher.

For practical nurse inquire at Stockton Hotel. 2-3-2t

McCarthy Bros. can fix that old tire or tube. Phone 855. 2-1-1mo

\$5.00 all leather work shoes \$2.95.—Hughes & Prim, 123 South Broadway. 2-2-3td

Cheer your sick friend with flowers. Ada Greenhouse. 2-3-1f

Mrs. Edmiston of the Home Dining room is reported ill as a result of vaccination.

For practical nurse inquire at Stockton Hotel. 1-27-6t

I am prepared to do spraying. W. F. McCaskie, phone 1125-R. 1-12-1m

Men half soles \$1; ladies 75c.—Mistletoe Shoe Shop, 217 W. Main. 2-3-1mo

A few flowers come like a ray of sunshine to a sick friend.—Ada Greenhouse. 2-3-1f

Ladies Union Suits all kinds half price.—Hughes & Prim, 123 South Broadway. 2-2-3td

Shelton sells Furniture on easy payments. 1-21-1f

Plainview Dairy, Phone RM-25.—A. B. Myers, proprietor. 8-5-1f

Edison Recreations, Phone 270 for New Edison catalogue. 2-4-1td

Nice line of men's hats at half price.—Hughes & Prim, 123 South Broadway. 2-2-3td

Shelton sells furniture on easy payments. 1-21-1f

Hemstitching, pearling and button making.—Ada Hemstitching Shop at Shaws. 2-2-1mo

We loan you a battery while repairing yours. Kit Carson. Phone 124. 119 N. Broadway. 1-2-1mo

Plainview Dairy, Phone RM-25.—A. B. Myers, proprietor. 8-5-1f

On your way to post office visit the Edison Shop next door Singer Sewing Machine Company. 2-3-3t

Call Thomas Motor Co., for battery service. Phone 162—212 West 12th. 11-25-1f

Get meal tickets at the Home Dining Room and save money. Only 33c per meal. 2-2-4td

Mayor Gary Kitchens is confined to his home today on account of illness resulting from his vaccination. He has been unable to be in his office for several days.

Newest Edison Re-Creation now on sale at Phonograph Shop 113 W. 12th, next door Singer Sewing Machine store. 2-3-3t

Only one arrest was made this week. Because the mayor was confined at his home on account of illness, the case has not been tried. The person arrested was a woman and she is being held in the city jail.

Plenty of money for city loans, ready to pay out now. See Abney & Massey. Phone 782. 1-18-1mo

Word from Coalgate to the effect that new complications have set up and the condition of Horace Northcutt, former college student here, is worse. An operation is now necessary, it is said.

HEMSTITCHING—6c per yard. Singer Sewing Machine Co., 113 West 12th St., phone 953. 1-12-1m

The Edison Shop is to be opened soon on West Twelfth street, next door to the Singer Sewing Machine company and three doors east of the postoffice. C. P. Penrose, manager, announced today. The company will handle Edisons exclusively. The place is being fixed up in the latest and most improved fashion.

Skilled repair work on all makes of batteries at reasonable prices. Kit Carson, Phone 124. 119 N. Broadway. 1-2-1mo

Final tabulation is being made by County Superintendent A. Floyd today of reports on the new school census of Pontotoc county. His report will be complete early next week.

Federal 33x4—7500 Mile Tire \$26. Other sizes equally as cheap. The Square Deal Service Station. 1-10-1mo

William F. Miller, field secretary for the Bureau of Organization, Chicago, who has been here for the last month helping in the local C. of C. organization, completed his work and left Ada last night for his headquarters.

Bermuda Onion Plants. Thousands now ready—two kinds. See B. F. Stegall 412 West 10th St., or R. J. Raines Gro. Co. Cabbage plants ready by Feb. 10th. 2-4-6t

J. B. Hill and Mrs. Elva Duvall returned Friday evening from Stillwater where they attended a conference of county demonstration agents. They report an interesting and profitable meeting. The main object of the conference was to make plans for the year's work.

SINGER SEWING MACHINES sold

SOLE

Sonnett: The Wild.

By Welborn Hope

I love the wild. Altho we live today Where frontiers were of old, a phantom trace Of bygone days survives our grasping race— The changing winds themselves are landmarks grey And sad, encumbered with the years of play Among the solitary pines that grace The vales that once were wild, and each a place Where many dew were pearled in unseen stay.

O, these winds charged the same spots, years ago!

I listen, night by night, to tales they bear Unto my fancy's paler tales of how glad They rushed upon the sleeping fawns to blow A tune while mothers roamed the woodland fair; I feel the wild—a feeling, somehow, sad.

Loyal Daughters Entertained.

The Loyal Daughters Sunday school class of the First Christian church was entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last evening at the home of its teacher, Mrs. A. Linscheid. After dinner, the evening was spent in animated discussion of effective methods for carrying forward the program of service undertaken by the class.

Beginning February 5, the Loyal Daughters class will hold its meetings in the chapel of the Criswell-Meyers undertaking establishment. The class is composed of the following young business women, teachers and college students: Misses Grace Beauchamp, Eunice and Jervis Bills, Meta Blackwell, Mary Esther Chisholm, Gladys Coble, Lottie Dowell, Alice B. Francisco, Nellie Dodge, Lela McAlester, Orpha McCurry, Winnie McLachlan, Nellie Moore, Cleo Norman, Faye Teden, Flora and Flossie Summers, Agnes Scitern, Mary and Constance Waggoner, Minnie Wall, Golden Williams, and Ida Salin Williams.

R. A. Sneed, father of Orville Sneed, accompanied by two young grandsons, are expected in today from Texas to visit Mr. and Mrs. Orville Sneed at 113 West Seventeenth. They will be here only a few days. Mr. Sneed will also visit T. E. Cullins and family in the northeastern part of the city.

OKMULGEE BANKERS ARE NAMED AS RECEIVERS

OKMULGEE, Feb. 4.—M. F. Fowler, president of the City National Bank and D. M. Smith, president of the Central National Bank at Okmulgee, were today appointed receivers of the Bank of Commerce which closed its doors here November 3. The appointment was made after Judge John L. Norman in district court had sustained a demurrer by stockholders of the bank against whom suit had been brought by the state for their liabilities under the state banking act.

In The Oil Fields

The Van Croft test on the Jones farm, in the northwest corner of

on easy payments; also rented by week or month. We repair all makes of sewing machines. Phone 953. 113 Singer Sewing Machine Co. 113 West 12th, Ada, Okla. 2-2-1mo

Unknown pilferers last night entered the office of Justice of the Peace H. J. Brown and removed about a dollar's worth of stamps, the judge reported to officers this morning. Several nights ago the desk of F. C. Sims, in the same office, was raided for about \$4 in stamps.

Gaylord MacMillan, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. MacMillan, is expected to arrive in Ada today from Stigler where he has been teaching mathematics and science in the high school. He has been appointed assistant principal of Wichita Falls, Tex., high school with a big increase in salary.

JIM BAZE

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213 West Main Street

I take this method of announcing to the public that Shoe Repair Prices have come down. We are now Half-Soling Men's Shoes with the best material and first class workmanship for \$1.00.

Ladies' Half Soles, 75c.

Children's Shoes in proportion.

We have installed the Peerless Champion Sole Stitcher.

Don't forget the place.

JIM BAZE

213 West Main Street

First Shoe Shop West Oklahoma State Bank

ALL WORK GUARANTEED

section 16, 4n.4e, six miles southwest of the Bebee field is underreaming the 15-inch casing at 400 feet.

Noco Petroleum company on the Nelson farm in the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 9-4n-7e, is shut down at 1600 feet in blue shale, awaiting a decision of the operators as to whether drilling shall be carried on with the 6-inch casing or whether it would be advisable to pull it and run a heavy-weight string of 8-inch. This test is located three miles southwest of the Francis area.

A. J. Walker and Paul Smith, drilling contractors, were in Ardmore Thursday on oil business. Walker formerly lived at Ardmore and while there was assistant U. S. oil inspector for three years. Later he became associated with the Dakota Oil company at Healdton as general superintendent.

BUFFALO, Okla.—An election to vote on a proposal to issue \$100,000 in bonds for the construction of a new Harper county courthouse will be held soon, according to members of the board of county commissioners.



Why trifle with your eyes? We are recognized authority in the care of the eye. Only the latest scientific methods employed. If you need eye care, you need our service. The old reliable.

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Women are Savers!!!!

Very often women are better savers than men.

This bank gives special attention to the savings accounts of women and they are invited to open their accounts here.

This Bank Pays 4 Percent on Savings

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Capital ----- \$100,000.00
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New Things for Spring!



Blouses

Very smart and different are the new blouses for Spring wear. Whether it be for a suit or a separate sport skirt, fashion's latest is here. Especially, are the new Pongee Blouses very cunningly tailored—some with sewed pleat fronts, others with Buster Brown collars with dainty works of embroidery and hand-drawn silk threads. Many others in silk crepes in the new high shades and fancy silk tlet trimmings. Priced

\$.34.5 to \$12.00

Skirts

Not in a long while has the season been so good for sport skirts as the spring season is predicted to be. For very durable and jaunty wear, Tweeds are considered the last word. Along with these come homespuns, gabardines, and Paisley clothes. Most all are fancy tailored, some with covered buttons, others with fancy shaded sashes.

\$7.95 to \$12.50

Suits and Coats

We are now showing a representative assortment. There is one for every type

\$14.75 to \$55

Shaw's
DEPARTMENT STORE

Buy Shares in the Home Building & Loan Association of Ada

Women are the Spenders of the Nation—but

they are savers too. Many a man will tell you he never saved money until he was married.

Modern women have a checking account and pay their household expenses by check.

We shall be glad to discuss checking accounts with you.

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Herbert Hoover says: "Your associations, true peoples banks, popularly controlled and locally managed, have sprung up voluntarily throughout the country. Through the system of weekly or monthly deposits by their shareholders they encourage thrift throughout the nation. Through the system of amortization, in which building and loan associations were pioneers, they have made their assets sound and worthy of confidence. Through loans principally upon homes they are an instrumentality not only in solving the housing problem, but in developing self reliance of our citizenry. It is my earnest desire that the building and loan associations of the United States should be encouraged by the citizens in every locality."

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Thirty-five million dollars in Building and Loan Associations in Oklahoma. According to the State Banking Department, not one cent has been lost to investors in the history of the state.

Ohio has \$525,000,000 and Pennsylvania \$475,000,000 in Building and Loan Associations. There are almost 5,000,000 Building and Loan stockholders in the United States and the total assets on December 31, 1920, were \$2,519,914,000.

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\$7.00 per month for 60 months will mature \$500.00
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\$9.40 per month for 84 months will mature \$1,000.00
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Plus 1 percent membership fee.

TAX EXEMPT

Our earnings from July 31st to December 31st amounted to 10 percent compounded. We operate under the Banking Laws, and our accounts are audited by that department semi-annually.

May we have the opportunity of explaining our plan? It will appeal to any business man or business woman.

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Phone 911

Teams Eagerly Await District Meet Here April 21-22

RECORDS MAY BE LOWERED, BELIEF

Both Field and Intellectual Entries To Compete April 21 and 22.

Already schools over the East Central District are turning their attention to the forthcoming district and field meet. Glee clubs, debating teams, track and field stars and other entries in literary and athletic events are being given preliminary instruction.

The athletic department of East Central will have charge of the meet, which will be held on the college field April 21-22. The meet last year was attended by several hundred students and teachers and it is expected that this year will see even a larger turn out. Many schools have signified their intention of taking part for the first time in years, it is reported.

Basketball Turnout Expected. An annual basketball tournament for the district was started last year, which will be held March 3 and 4 this year. This was an event which usually was held in connection with the track meet, but on account of its rapid growth in importance with the schools, it was decided to make it a separate number. This leaves the baseball tournament, tennis tournament, track games and field athletes occupying prominent place in the meet. Baseball, track events and the high school chorus were features of the meet in 1921.

At present no definite information regarding the meet can be obtained. It is expected that judging from the interest displayed by schools last year, the meet this year will be even more important. Three new records were made last year; the pole vault, shot put and 440-yard dash. Schlack, of the O. S. D. was the new record maker in the meet, stepping the distance in 10.03 seconds. Fine, of Mansville, set a new record in putting the shot, heaving the 12 pound weight 45 feet, 10 inches. Pole vault records were broken when Norman of Pontotoc lifted himself 13 feet into the air. A high wind was blowing in his favor, however, and the record was not allowed.

Henrietta Won Meet. The track and field meet went to Henrietta last year. Wetumka took the baseball championship, Paul Valley took boys tennis, singles and doubles. Other schools which slumped last season promised a better showing this year. Although there were many schools represented few schools got far up the list in a total score on account of having only one or two individual men entered. Athletic authorities advise schools not only to specialize but to generalize, making it possible to win the district honors.

Wewoka, Davis, Sulphur, Henrietta, Okmulgee, Shawnee, Holdenville, Wetumka, Lindsay, Paul Valley, Francis, Coalgate, Stratford and Allen were well represented last year. Ada high school was represented but did not take many prizes. Potts and Canning were the only men for the local school who will be here again this year. Many promising new men will be with them for the April meet.

FRENCH CUE STAR TO COMPETE IN AMATEUR MEET



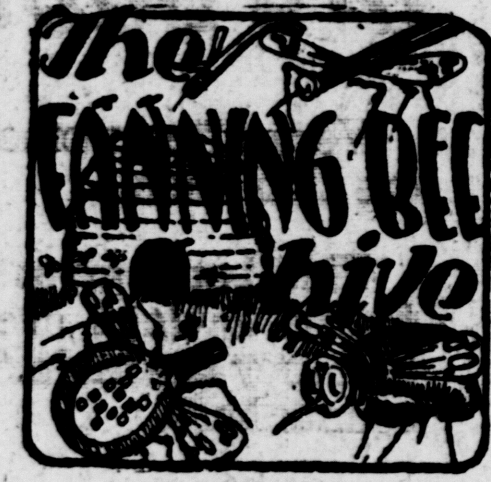
Edmond Roudil, amateur billiard player of France, is one of the foreign cue players who will compete in the international amateur tournament in Philadelphia beginning February 12. Roudil is forty-one. He won the amateur title in the "second category" class B at twenty-five.

COOPER TRAINS HARD FOR BOUT WITH OPPONENT

The American Legion is looking forward to the second of a series of athletic events which the organization is planning to hold here this year. The first event was held in January. The one now being talked is the Cooper-Heaglebeck bout for February 13. Several other minor events will be held in connection with the bout, it is announced.

Heaglebeck is the fellow who took on Sparks here in the former bout. His footwork was said by some to be about the best seen around here, but friends of Cooper believe that his clever swings will be able to stop a clever demonstration of stepping. The artist of foot and fist hails from Shawnee.

Cooper is training daily and is reported by his manager to be in perfect form for the bout. Final plans have not yet been made for the event, but it is expected to be a winner at any event. Arch Cooper is at present the leading boxer known as "home talent" in this city and his friends are backing him. Many expect to see him show even better form in this bout than the one in January in which he knocked out Fox of Shawnee. He is yet young but is improving remarkably with each bout.



By NORMAN E. BROWN
When the deal between the Cleveland Indians and Boston Red Sox, which was made primarily to put Stuffy McInnis on first for the Indians, was pulled off it was believed that Joe Harris, former first sacker of the Indians and of late seasons an outlaw, would be one of the men to go to the Red Sox as part payment for McInnis.

The rumor then was that Harris stood a good chance of obtaining reinstatement from Judge Landis. Now, Mr. Rumor has it that he monkeys are off. Landis has given no indication that he will forgive Joe and others in Harris' class.

All of which makes it look gloomy for Mr. Harris.
Joe had a chance to win fame in the majors. He was drafted from Chattanooga by Cleveland in the fall of 1916. It took him a few weeks to break into the game and then he hit the pill so hard they left him at first. The war interrupted his baseball business the next year. He rejoined the club in midseason, 1918, and again showed his terrific hitting ability when he got a chance in the lineup.
The papers gave him due credit, of course, and Harris decided he deserved a nice large increase in salary the following year. I have it on pretty good authority that Joe wanted more than anyone on team outside of Manager Speaker.

Owner Jim Dunn was willing to meet him half way, but didn't suit, so Harris balked and joined an independent team at Franklin, Pa. At the beginning of the 1921 campaign Harris wanted to return but arrangements were not completed. Last August he formally applied to Judge Landis for reinstatement.

If Harris fails to win a pardon from Judge Landis the Indians probably will send Doc Johnson to the Sox instead. But that won't help Harris.
SOONER WRESTLERS OFF TO MEET VALLEY TEAM

NORMAN, Feb. 4.—(Special)—The Sooner wrestling squad left Norman Thursday for Ames, Iowa, where it will meet the Iowa State mat men in the only Missouri Valley conference wrestling of the season for Oklahoma.

Coach Grover C. Johnson is taking two new men with the squad because of injury to Jackson, 155 pounder, in the Oklahoma Aggie match and the second semester eligibility of Gordon Bristow, heavy-weight. The squad is composed of: Grimes, 115; McKinney, 125; Armor, 155; Smith, 145; LaMar, 158; Cooper, 175; and Bristow, heavy-weight.

Thirty thousand persons are injured daily in the United States.

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SLOAN'S EASES PAIN RELIEVES THE ACHE
TORMENTING, agonizing rheumatic aches are quickly relieved by Sloan's Liniment. Apply it freely and enjoy a comforting sense of warmth. *(10 minutes without rubbing.)*
Good also for sciatica, lumbago, neuralgia, over-exerted muscles, stiff joints, external aches and pains, back-aches, strains and sprains.
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ALL WESTERN LEAGUE MANAGERS ARE NOW SIGNED UP

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—With the signing of the veteran Gus Fisher as pilot of the Oklahoma City club, all managers for Western league clubs have been selected for 1922 season according to reports to President A. R. Tearney today. During the winter season, there was a general shake-up of managers and six clubs will take the field under the direction of new leaders. Four of them will make their debut in the Western league.

The new pilots are Joe Dun, former manager of the Bloomington club of the Three-I league, who will lead the Joplin club; Walter Smith, formerly of the Minneapolis club, who will be in charge of St. Joseph club; "Chick" Mattick, the new half owner of the Sioux City club, and Gus Fisher at Oklahoma City, who was obtained from the Portland club of the Pacific Coast League. Mattick formerly played with the Chicago Americans, and later owned and managed the Dallas club of the Texas league.

Jack Lelivelt, who managed the Omaha club at the start of the 1921

season, will direct the play of the Tulsa club this season, while Dick Breen moves from Oklahoma City to the leadership of the Des Moines club. Joe Berger will remain in charge of the pennant winning Wichita club, while Fagen Burch will continue at the helm at Omaha, Burch succeeded Lelivelt when the latter resigned last season.

Lelivelt, a former major league star, distinguished himself last season by establishing the highest batting record of any player in organized baseball. His average was .416. He hit at a tremendous clip all season.

To Work on Field.
All of the managers will direct the play from the field instead of the bench. Three of them are catchers and two hold down first base. Breen, Fisher and Dunn are the backstops. Smith and Lelivelt are first basemen. Berger plays shortstop, Mattick the outfield, and Burch is a pitcher.

Fisher's entrance into the league is heralded with satisfaction. He was

one of the most popular players on the Portland club, and probably could have remained there until the end of his playing career if he desired, his friends say. He was with the Portland club for eleven years and his batting eye is said to be almost as sharp today as it was when he joined the team.

Fisher, for the last five years has been regarded as the mainstay of the Portland outfit and has developed some promising material for the major leagues, including such players as Harry Heilmann, Ivan Olson and several others. He possesses the ability to pick young steady players and has been particularly successful in developing pitchers.

The club owners of the Western league will set their house in order for the coming season at a meeting to be held in St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 20. The schedule will be adopted at that time. The season probably will open about the same time the major leagues pry off the lid and close the patten part of September.

"SAVE THE MARRIED MEN BY CLOTHING THE BATHERS" IS PLEA OF PURITY LEAGUE AT FLORIDA BEACH RESORT



A group of "sea vamps" tripping along the beach at St. Petersburg—innocent causes of the agitation, above at left. At right is Hazel Milford Van Treeden, secretary of the Purity League. Below is a closer view of one of the suits to which the league objects. In center is Frank Fortune Pulver, millionaire mayor, who has been asked to act.

Hazel Milford Van Treeden, secretary of the Purity League of St. Petersburg, Fla., winter resort, has demanded of Frank Fortune Pulver, millionaire and

bachelor mayor of St. Petersburg, the appointment of a bathing suit inspector to protect the married men of the Florida west coast from the "sea vamps."

Contending that abbreviated bathing suit costume of the one-piece variety is vulgar and like

MEX, COLLEGE HOUND, MAKES ALL TRIPS WITH O. U. TEAM

NORMAN, Okla., Feb. 4.—(Special)—Mex, veteran of the world war and canine athlete at the University of Oklahoma, has accompanied Sooner athletic squads on every foreign trip and has carefully watched over them in their home meets for the past three years. He is a bull-terrier, six years old and weighs 48 pounds.

The Sooner mascot is an expert in handling a ball, any kind of a ball from a tennis to a hand ball. The clever dog lives for his ball playing, thinks in terms of balls and is no longer interested in anything else. He takes his turn as the season goes around in handling a football, basketball, tennis ball, polo ball and last, his favorite, the baseball. He puts in good time in baseball by taking up the sport with the Sooner squad in February and following it through the college season and into the summer with professional teams. Golf is his latest acquirement and the bug has smitten him.

Starts Army Career
Mex began his career with the army at Fort Sill back in 1916. He took his turn on the border and returned to Camp Bowie, Fort Worth, Texas preparing for overseas duty. He journeyed to Long Island but cranky army officers refused to let him board the great transport, George Washington, and European service was denied him.
He came to the University of Oklahoma in the fall of 1919. Immediately after showing up on the Sooner campus, his athletic ability was recognized and he was given a place with the football squad. He has become such a fixture that Sooner teams will not think of going abroad without him. The 1920 Valley football championship is attributed to him.

Mex is now participating in his third year of Sooner sports. Conference rules forbid more service which resulted in Bennie Owen, veteran Sooner mentor, announcing that the canine favorite would be added to the coaching staff of Soonerland after this year.



Mex.

TWO BANDITS BATTLE POLICEMEN IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—Two bandits today entered a jewelry store in the exclusive Sheridan Road residential section, help-up the proprietor and a customer and after gathering up jewelry valued at \$10,000 fought a pistol battle with police outside in which one policeman and one of the bandits were wounded. The wounded bandit was captured.

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SOUSA TAKEN IN TO ORGANIZATION OF O. U. BANDMEN

NORMAN, Feb. 4.—(Special)—John Philip Sousa, internationally known bandman and composer, was pledged to and initiated into Kappa Kappa Psi, national college bandmen's fraternity, by the University of Oklahoma chapter of the fraternity, when the famous bandman was touring the southwest in January.

Sousa expressed his appreciation of the honorary membership several times during the dinner and said that he was proud of it as any of the honors he had received. He expressed himself as follows: "This honor, however, is more significant to me because it is bestowed by an organization of young college men who are engaged in the work to which I have dedicated my life. The bandman of the American colleges of today are the masters of tomorrow, since they play for the sheer love of playing."

Sousa promised Scott Squires, national grand president of Kappa Kappa Psi, that he would write a march and dedicate it to the Oklahoma chapter of the fraternity in appreciation of the honor bestowed on him.

Oklahoma Academy Starts Basketball Under Difficulty

(By the Associated Press)

CLAREMORE, Feb. 4.—Basketball is being inaugurated this year at the Oklahoma Military Academy under adverse circumstances. With no gymnasium at the academy, the cadets are forced to do most of their practicing out doors. Through the kindness of the Claremore Night school, the cadet cagers have the use of the indoor court there two night a week. Six games have been played so far this season, two of which the academy boys have won.

J. C. Bradley, athletic director, has built up a team out of entirely new material. Henderson at forward is fast on the floor and an accurate shot. He is from Claremore, Bushhead and Cline also Claremore boys, play guard and center respectively. Knight at guard is hard to get away from and has an accurate eye for shooting baskets from far down the court. Breen, forward, covers much ground and shoots with precision. Bumgardner, Thomas and Pendray are all promising men.

Coach Bradley is a former Dartmouth player. He also played with various service teams during the war and coached athletics at the submarine base at Coco Solo, Panama Canal Zone and was in charge of athletics at the naval station there in 1919-20. Last year he coached football at the high school at Leonia, N. J. This is his first season west.

ROWING AT MICHIGAN IS NOW SUBORDINATE SPORT

(By the Associated Press)

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Feb. 4.—Rowing as a major sport at the University of Michigan lies dormant, while other problems of more importance to the athletic situation are taking the time of athletic officials.

The Board in Control of Student Athletics recently deferred action on a petition that rowing be made a major sport here. Meanwhile, it will turn its attention to football, basketball and baseball in an effort to strengthen those sports.

It is understood that plans are underway to increase the working capacity of Ferry field, now the largest college athletic field in the mid-west. Proposals are also being made suggesting the construction of a large new gymnasium in which the baseball team may hold winter work outs, and in which the football team may practice at night.

NORMAN, Okla.—The following resolution, according to Miss Gladys Dickson, secretary of the Student Association, was adopted at a recent meeting of the student council: "Be it resolved that it be the policy of the student council that any man accused of cheating be given the opportunity of withdrawing from school or standing trial."

RIXEY IS HOPING FOR BETTER LUCK



Eppa Rixey.

Eppa Rixey hopes that the 1922 season will be a little more kind to him than was fate last year. Rixey's contract with the Reds for last season provided that he receive a bonus should he bag up twenty victories for the year. He hurled his nineteenth win early in September. Then, with plenty of opportunities, he failed to ring up the twentieth game.

STILLWATER, Okla.—A bronze turkey "tom" offered for sale at an auction held near Gould, Harmon county, brought \$25, says a report from L. I. Bennett, farm demonstration agent. This was more than any cow or bull brought at the sale, the report said.

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FOR RENT—Unfurnished apartment at the Colonnade. Call 358 before 8 or after 6 o'clock. Mrs. Riddle. 2-1-11*

Persons who entered the Boy Scout lodge near the City Lake recently, destroyed and defaced some of the fixtures of the building according to a report made by the Scout Council today. A reasonable reward for evidence leading up to the arrest and conviction of the intruders has been offered.

Ford Makes Only Bid.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 4.—Representatives of Henry Ford today made the only bid for the property of the Lincoln Motor company at the auction sale under the direction of the United States District Judge Arthur J. Tuttle. The bid was \$3,000,000, the lowest figure that Tuttle will accept, according to a previous announcement in court.

Many animals keep their mates throughout their lives.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One ton Ford truck in good repair. Phone 607. 2-4-61*

FOR SALE—Hay at 30c per bale. Phone 820. 2-4-61*

FOR SALE—Four room house and lot \$1,900, some terms, 802 East 15th Phone 923-J. 2-3-31*

FOR SALE—25 young White Leghorns, 1 cockerel. Phone RY-2. 2-3-31*

FOR TRADE—Three small houses for farm, houses unencumbered. See Joseph Anderson at Court House. 2-3-21*

WANTED

WANTED—Setting hens. John Sklar, 800 E. 9th. 2-4-61*

WANTED—To buy delivery wagon. Phone 295. 2-4-31*

WANTED—Your old mattresses to work over. 400 East 12th. Phone 170. Ada Mattress Factory.

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STRAIGHT SALARY \$35.00 per week and expenses to man or woman with rig to introduce POULTRY MIXTURE. Eureka Mfg. Co., East St. Louis, Ill. 2-4-11*

WANTED—Young men, women, over 17, desiring government positions, \$130 monthly, write for free list of positions now open, R. Terry, (former Civil Service examiner) 717 Continental Bldg., Washington, D. C. 2-4-31*

FOUND

FOUND—Wedding ring, dated March 17, 1921. Inquire at News office. 2-2-31*

FOUND—Wedding ring; owner call or see Mrs. Sam A. McKel, corner Broadway and 14th street. 2-3-21*

FOUND—Fountain pen and brooch; owner may have same by describing and paying for this ad.—Oklahoma Light and Power Co. 2-3-31*

FREDERICK, Okla.—One hundred and fifty men and boys participating in a jack rabbit hunt here recently rounded up 1,000 rabbits in a day. The drive was made as a means of protecting Tillman county crops.

LODGES

Ada Chapter No. 78 O. E. S. meets second and fourth Thursday nights in each month.—Jewel Rowzee, W. M.; Margaret Peay, Sec'y.

I. O. O. F.—Ada Lodge No. 146, regular meeting every Thursday.—R. W. White, N. G.; H. C. Evans, Sec'y.

B. P. O. E.—Ada Lodge No. 1374 meets second and fourth Monday nights in each month.—H. Claude Pitt, secretary.

A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting of Ada Lodge No. 119, Monday night on or before the full moon in each month.—F. R. Laird, W. M.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

R. A. M.—Ada Chapter No. 26, Royal Arch Masons, meets the second Tuesday night in each month.—T. W. Rowzee, H. P.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

K. T. M.—Ada Commandery No. 16, Knights Templar Masons meets the third Friday night of each month.—T. W. Rowzee, E. C.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Magnaolia Lodge No. 145, meets every Tuesday night. Visiting knights cordially invited.—F. L. Finley, Chancellor; Commander; J. W. Westbrook, K. R. S.

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C. F. Johnston, until recently a barber here, has accepted a position in a new shop at Chickasha.

If you need a heater of any kind you can buy them for one-third off at Coffman, Bobbitt & Sparks. 2-4-41*

Mrs. Cass Hill of 501 East Thirteenth street, who has been quite ill for several days, is improving and able to be around in the house.

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PAINS SO BAD WOULD GO TO BED

Two Women Tell How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Stopped Their Suffering

Iron Mountain, Mich.—"I had terrible pains every month and at times had to go to bed on account of them. I saw your advertisement and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound with very good results. I can work all day long now at my sick time. You may use these facts as a testimonial and I am recommending the Vegetable Compound to my friends."

Mrs. A. H. GARLAND, 218 E. Brown St., Iron Mountain, Michigan.

Xenia, Ohio.—"Every month I had such pains in my back and lower part of my abdomen that I could not lie quietly in bed. I suffered for about five years that way and I was not regular either. I read an advertisement of what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had done for other women, so I decided to try it. It surely has helped me a lot, as I have no pains now and am regular and feeling fine."

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CHURCHES

(Continued from page six)

The Presbyterian church meets in the auditorium Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Election of officers is one item of business. Every member is urged to be present.

Presbyterian Senior Endeavor. Song service.

Topic: Christian Endeavor around the world. Scripture: Ps. 107:1-3.

Song.

Prayer.

Report from Mission study book by Misses Bobbitt and Greer.

Give a short history of the C. E. movement.—Thelma Roberts.

Explain the Four-square campaign.—Geraldine Hale.

Give the aims of C. E. week.—Violet Knight.

How far does C. E. and its influence extend?—Grace Mooney.

Special music—Boys' Glee Club of High School.

This is the forty-first birthday of Christian Endeavor. You are invited to this service if you do not attend elsewhere.

Mizpah.

Presbyterian Intermediate Endeavor. Song service.

Topic: Christian Endeavor around the world. Scripture: Ps. 107:1-3.

Repeat scripture in concert.

Tell of the C. E. movement.—Margaret Chilcutt.

In how many lands has Endeavor work gone?—Bartley Meders.

Tell of the Four-square campaign.—Ethel James Byrd.

What has Christian Endeavor helped to accomplish in nationwide activities?—Ed Gwin.

What was the slogan at the New York convention.—Jack Conn.

Each Endeavorer light a candle on the birthday cake as he repeats a verse of scripture.

Mizpah.

McCauley of burning insured property grew out of a fire which early in December party destroyed the building and stock of the Ada Music company.

U. C. V. Meets Sunday.

Ada camp of the United Confederate veterans will hold its regular monthly business meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 at the city hall, according to a notice sent out to members today by Capt. A. M. Crow, commander. Important business will come before the meeting.

Fair Weather Predicted.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday are:

Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valleys, fair except for unsettled weather with local showers Wednesday and Thursday; normal temperatures.

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Obituary

NORA THOMAS, aged 11, died Friday morning at 2 o'clock at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thomas of Union Valley. The funeral services were held Friday afternoon. Interment at Frisco cemetery.

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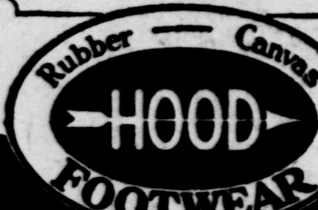
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Church Demos

B. W. M. S.
The Baptist Women's Missionary Society will meet Monday at 3 o'clock in their regular monthly business meeting at the church. A full attendance is desired by the president.

The executive committee will meet at 2 o'clock.
MRS. W. J. HUGHES, Pres.
MRS. L. A. ELLISON, Sec.

Oak Avenue Baptist.
We will have all services as usual next Sunday. We extend a cordial invitation to all. We are expecting the High school glee club to sing for us in the evening service. Do not miss it.

Sunday school at 10:45 a. m.
B. Y. P. U. at 7:45 p. m.
Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

We also wish to announce that we will begin a meeting Sunday February 19, which is the "Every One Win One Week."—J. H. Page, pastor.

Christian Church.
9:30 a. m. Men's Bible class.
9:45 a. m. Morning worship.
3:00 p. m. Junior C. E.
3:00 p. m. Intermediate C. E.
6:30 p. m. Senior C. E.
7:30 p. m. Evening service.

In place of the regular evening service the young people of the Senior Christian Endeavor society will offer a pageant entitled, "The Test of the Thirteenth." This first Sunday in February is National Christian Endeavor day and our young people will observe it in this way. Of course all are invited to the exercises.

All men are invited to the Men's Bible Class which meets every Sunday morning at the Chamber of Commerce rooms.

All young people are invited to attend the C. E. meetings, and we invite all to our regular church services.—H. M. Woods, pastor.

St. Luke's Episcopal Church.
(109 E. Fourteenth)
Fifth Sunday after Epiphany.
9:45 Church school and Bible class.

11:00 Holy Communion and Sermon.
4 p. m. Catechism.
7:30 p. m. Evening prayer and sermon.—Richard Allen Hatch, rector.

Saint Joseph's Catholic Church
(Corner Twelfth and Hope)
Mass 9 a. m. Sunday.

Methodist Church.
Sunday school at 9:45. Prof. R. S. Newcomb, superintendent.
Preaching at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m., by the pastor.
Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at the morning service.

Young peoples' missionary society meets at 2:30 p. m.

Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.

Womans' Missionary Society meets at 3 p. m. Monday.

Board of stewards meets Monday at 7:30 p. m.

We hope to make the Sunday service helpful to all who come. The music by the choir is an inspiration. Come!—J. H. Ball, pastor.

Missionary Society First Methodist Church.

The social given last Monday to the winners and losers in a contest just closed, was an enjoyable affair. Altho the weather was disagreeable and threatening, there was a good

crowd present, and felt well paid for the effort made to attend. First was the musical program so well rendered. Then the refreshment committee secured a splendid salad course and coffee followed by some games and contests.

The regular business meeting will be held Monday in the parlors of the church and all members are urged to attend as we want the Loving cup another year.
Subject: Publicity.

First Baptist Church.
Sunday school meets at our church at 9:45. Mr. J. A. Ridling is the general superintendent. We hope to see a large attendance tomorrow.

The Men's Bible Class meets at 9:30 at the McSwain theater. Dr. Laird is president of the class and Mr. Ellison is the teacher. All men who are not attending Sunday school somewhere else are cordially invited. You will find a cordial welcome awaiting you.

The pastor will preach at the 11 o'clock hour. The subject will be, "Seeking the Lost." These messages are leading up to "Win One Week" which begins on February 19th and lasts through the 26th. During this week we are going to concentrate our prayers and efforts toward winning some one to Jesus Christ. That is our supermost business in the world.

The Junior B. Y. P. U. will meet at 6:15. Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Davidson are the leaders.

The Intermediate B. Y. P. U. will meet at 6:15 with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fullerton in charge.

The Blue and Gold B. Y. P. U. will meet at 6:15 with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bobbitt in charge. Mr. Paul Rayburn is president.

The Senior B. Y. P. U. will meet at 6:15. Mr. Bernard Howard is president.

The B. Y. P. U. s have on a contest attendance which will last three months. The winners will receive a beautiful loving cup which they will hold for three months. The Blue and Gold stands at the head of the list at present. We will see how long they will remain there.

The pastor will preach at the evening hour. The service will begin promptly at 7:30. We will endeavor to help unsaved people to come to a decision for Christ.

The music will all be under the direction of Prof. Pentem. They have some special numbers which will be given at both services.

The public is cordially invited.
CLYDE CALHOUN MORRIS, Pastor.

Loyal Men's Bible Class of the Christian Church.

When? At 9:30 every Sunday morning.

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Why not try it in tomorrow?—Publicity Committee.

Auxiliary to Meet.

The Senior Womans Auxiliary of (Continued on Page Five)

Farmers' Column

By Byron Norrell

I am not certain, but I think Frisco, or Old Stonewall, was the first town to be built within the present confines of Pontotoc county. I remember hearing the late Gov. J. J. McAlester say that when a young man he helped to clear the brush from the site of the newly established town. At all events it was an important point during the tribal days and was the county seat of what was then the Pontotoc county of the Chickasaws. Atoka was the nearest railroad point for many years and Stonewall carried on a thriving trade. It numbered several well to do business men and a number of large mercantile establishments. Not far away was Collins Institute, for many years a school maintained by the Chickasaws and where many of the younger generation received their education. When the Frisco railroad reached Ada, of course the town was hurt some and then when the Katy passed within three miles and established a new town it not only took with it several of the leading business men, but also the name itself—Stonewall. The old town was rechristened Frisco and when the Oklahoma Central, now the Santa Fe road was built, Frisco found itself a railroad station at last, but it was too late to be of much benefit.

Today the village probably has 200 or 300 inhabitants, three mercantile establishments, a gin and a blacksmith shop. W. H. Gray, Bud Correll and J. W. Mobley are the merchants and W. D. Durbin, formerly of Ada, the blacksmith. Mr. Mobley, who is also the postmaster, has been in business at Frisco for the past seventeen years.

The community has a substantial two story brick school house, but it is rather small for the purpose. 200 pupils having been enrolled this term. The faculty is composed of G. W. Cavner and Misses Opal Truitt, Gladys Coffee and Ida Bolen. This is Supt. Cavner's first year in the county, but he has shown himself a capable school man. His school made a most excellent showing both at the Stonewall township fair and later at the county fair.

Among other citizens I met James Patton. He has lived in the vicinity of Frisco for the past 33 years. He has read the Ada News from the time it was started and is still alive to tell the tale. I hope he will be here to read it for another 25 years.

I dropped in on W. R. Dennis. Just east of the schoolhouse early in the afternoon. Mr. Dennis has lived there for nine years and his specialty is purebred livestock. He has a bunch of Holstein cattle that are beauties. He has been shipping cream for the past four years. During the past summer and early fall, when the price was good, he said he shipped about fifteen gallons per week, but lately with the price low he has not tried to ship so much. His flock of more than 100 White Leghorn chickens would be hard to beat anywhere. He was busy when the poultry show was held at Ada and did not exhibit this year. He also has some fine specimens of Duroc hogs.

After a tramp of half a mile or more I reached L. T. Daniel's place. This farm was improved by a German family. It stretches down the Boggy bottom and is one of the best farms in the county. The home is a two-story frame structure built for comfort and is among the best country homes to be found in this section. Mr. Daniels is comparatively a new comer, having lived at Wynnewood prior to buying this farm something more than a year ago. He stated that he expected to plant about 30 acres in cotton this year, but will make that a sort of surplus crop as he will plant a good acreage in corn, peanuts, oats, etc. He already has a good start of alfalfa and is enlarging the acreage. Last season he got five cuttings. He is devoting considerable attention to hog raising and has about fifty Durocs already.

From Mr. Daniel's place I cut across the fields to H. B. Morin's home, some distance to the west. Mr. Morin was not at home, but I noted many evidences of progressive methods. He has a comfortable home and plenty of barns and out-buildings. He has been raising O. I. C. hogs, the first I have found in the county. In addition to a good supply of tools ordinarily found on a well kept farm, I noticed a feed mill which is operated by horse power. Part of his land is terraced and where it is not he protects his land by running the rows of his crops with the slope as in terracing, instead of straight up and down or straight across. In this way the ridges serve somewhat as terraces and prevent the washing of gullies.

J. C. Cooper, who recently moved in from Arkansas, has part of the Morin place rented for a truck farm. He selected a plot of ground on a slope with a south exposure. In this he expects to plant three acres of watermelons, one acre of cantaloupes and muskmelons, an acre and a half of seeded ribbon cane for syrup making, some sweet potatoes and some Irish potatoes. He said if the pickle factory is located at Ada he would plant some cucumbers. He is an old hand at trucking and likes the looks of things here for that line of farming.

On the way back to Frisco I dropped in on Herman Burkhardt. He moved away from this county two or three years ago, but is back again. He stated that he will plant more corn than anything else this year.

Yes, there is some fine farming land around Frisco and it always makes heavy crops if any other part of the county does. That rich bottom land is the real stuff.

The pre-war cost of a good wife among the tribes of Central Africa was \$1; it now stand about \$6.

DEAD DIRECTOR
TOOK NEW NAME

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Deane-Tanner, according to a story the Los Angeles Times is publishing this morning.

The statement, together with one that Taylor was twice married, was said by the Times to have been obtained in Monrovia, about 20 miles from Los Angeles, from a woman known as Mrs. Ada Deane-Tanner, who described herself as the "deserted wife" of Taylor's brother.

Mrs. Deane-Tanner, reported to be a sister of Mrs. J. L. Pomeroy, wife of the Los Angeles city health officer, said she saw Taylor only once in six months but during all that time had been receiving an allowance of \$50 a month from him.

Deserted Family.
Mrs. Deane-Tanner has two children. She declared their father, Dennis Deane-Tanner, an interior decorator, had deserted her after the birth of the younger child, Muriel, now 13 years old. Her maiden name was Brennan, she added.

She had little information concerning the life of the dead director. She asserted he had been married but was divorced and that his former wife lived in New York. She said the last check she had received from the director was about January 20, 1922. She came to Monrovia nine years ago and six months ago appealed to the director for help, she stated, adding that ever since he had sent her a regular allowance.

Interesting Chapter Revealed.
CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—Chapters in the life of William Desmond Taylor motion picture director, who was slain in Los Angeles Wednesday night were reviewed here today by his friends.

It was said that he was well known previous to 1908 as William Deane-Tanner, an art connoisseur. He was then manager of a prominent New York firm of art and antique furniture dealers, and he had a wide circle of friends.

In 1901, his friends said, he secretly married Miss Ethel May Harrison, a member of the original Flora Dora company, and they had a child, Ethel, now 14 years old. In 1908, according to his friends, he suddenly disappeared in a mysterious fashion and his wife was unable to give any clue as to his whereabouts or to assign any reason for his action. Several years later, it was said, his wife was reported to have obtained a divorce and since has married a prominent New York merchant.

He Bobs Up Again.
About two years later, it was said, Tanner suddenly surprised old acquaintances by calling on them in Los Angeles. He is reported to have told them that he had been shanghaied at night on lower Broadway and was taken aboard a sailing vessel bound around Cape Horn. He reached a port on the Pacific northwest coast several months later, he is said to have told them.

He said he had gone to work for

the Transcontinental railroad company and subsequently had sought employment in a mine after which he went to Los Angeles. Tanner, however, is said to have shown a reluctance in discussing some portions of his adventures and did not explain why he had failed to return to his family and friends.

Without ever fully explaining the reason for doing so, he adopted the name of Taylor and never was known as Tanner in Los Angeles.

Political Announcements
City of Ada

The News is authorized to announce the following as candidates for the respective offices of the city of Ada, subject to the primary election:

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W. T. MELTON
GARY KITCHENS
SHERWOOD HILL
U. G. WINN

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J. D. FAUST
E. W. WALKER
HENRY KROTH
WALTER S. SMITH

For Commissioner of Accounting and Finance:

CHARLEY DEEVER
LEE DAGGS
MRS. TOM HOPE

The News is authorized to announce the following as candidates for the offices named, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

State Offices

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE:

WAYNE WADLINGTON

For State Senator:

W. H. EBBEY

County Offices

For County Superintendent:

F. E. GRAY
A. FLOYD—(Re-election)

For County Weigher:

J. M. (JIM) BYRD
JOHN WARD

For Sheriff:

JOE E. SLOAN
BOB DUNCAN

County Commissioner, Dist. No. 2.

CHARLEY LASEMAN

TRAINING WOUNDED MEN
IN OLD CAMPS CONDEMNED

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—The national conference of disabled American veterans of the world war, meeting here today, went on record as opposed to the policy of training disabled former service men in abandoned cantonments. The conference also advocated establishment of tubercular sanitariums in convenient locations and rest homes for convalescents and for vocational training school students in poor physical condition.

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HOLDENVILLE, Okla.—Whether Holdenville soon will have free mail delivery is dependent on the outcome of an inspection to be held by a representative of the post office department. If it is found that enough sidewalks have been laid

and sufficient houses marked and streets marked, the city probably will be allowed free service, it was said.

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